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23460 7590 09/18/2009 LEYDIG VOIT & MAYER, LTD TWO PRUDENTIAL PLAZA, SUITE 4900 180 NORTH STETSON AVENUE CHICAGO, IL 60601-6731			EXAMINER TON, THAIAN N	
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<b>Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b> 10/553,118	<b>Applicant(s)</b> SHINOHARA ET AL.	
	<b>Examiner</b> Thaian N. Ton	<b>Art Unit</b> 1632	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Thaian N. Ton. (3) \_\_\_\_.

(2) Rachel Mejdrich. (4) \_\_\_\_.

Date of Interview: 31 August 2009.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference  
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.  
If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_.

Claim(s) discussed: Of Record.

Identification of prior art discussed: Of Record.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Discussed the 1.132 Declaration by Shinohara with regard to F/S (Experiment 1) and F/SP medium (experiment 2). Additionally discussed the importance of serum and mouse embryonic fibroblast feeder cells in the claimed methods. Ms. Mejdrich discussed that "F/S" medium and "F/SP" medium appear to be the same medium and noted that a corrected Declaration would be filed to correct this.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/Thaian N. Ton/ Primary Examiner, Art Unit 1632	
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